WILL SQUEEZE THE PEOPLE

. An Agreement to Advance World's Fair Rates on the 1st of September.

Chicago-Indianapolis Lines Think They Can Get Plenty of Business at \$8 Per Head for the Round Trip-Reducing Expenses.

Yesterday a representative of the Journal was shown an agreement, which was signed by all the presidents of the roads in the Chicago and Ohio River Traffic Association territory, and also the general managers, in which all agree to advance the round-trip rate from Indianapolis to Chicago to \$8, and from Louisville and Cineinnati to Chicago and return to \$12, taking effect Sept. 1. In speaking of this agreement an official said that the roads were well satisfied that after Sept. 1 all would have, for the ensuing sixty days, all they could handle at the advanced rates. These were the rates first fixed upon for world's fair business. As an impress,on is out that the Lake Erie & Western is to go still lower with its rates to the world's fair, C. E. Daly, general passenger agent, was interviewed, and said, last evening. that no one had ever had any authority for stating that the Lake Erie & Western would drop to a one-dollar or a two-dollar rate, and that the Lake Erie & Western was as anxious to make money out of its world's fair line as were the others, and he expected that on Sept. 1. it would also advance its rates proportionately with the all-rail lines. It should be said that yesterday there were more tickets sold for Chieago at Indianapolis than in any three days of last week, the increase in business is already manifesting itself, and there is no reason for believing that the presidents and general managers will recede from the agreement they have entered into.

A Popular Railroad Official, The Whitewater Pioneer Association, which held its annual pienic at Hunt's Grove, invited Superintendent B. S. Sutton to deliver an address before it was known that he would be transferred. On Saturday, Aug. 5, the address was delivered to some five thousand people, the subject being "Railroads and Farmers, their Relations to Each Other." It was a good address upon an entirely new subject, and was appreciated by all who heard it. Quite a surprise, however, was in store for Mr. Sutton. Just before commencing his speech Mr. C. B. Keller, engineer of maintenance of way, stepped forward, and, on behalf of the employes of the Whitewater division, presented Mr. Sutton with an elegant diamond stud, valued at \$150. Although a complete surprise Mr. S. accepted in appropriate terms. When Mr. Sutton left the agency of the Big Four at Shelbyville, a position he filled for many years, the citizens presented him with a gold-headed cane. On leaving a division superintend-ency on the Chesapeake & Ohio, to go to the Whitewater road, the employes pre-sented him with an elegant gold watch and chain; now he is kindly remembered on leaving the Whitewater road.

The Retrenchment Wave.

A notice was posted in the Wabash machine shops in Fort Wayne yesterday notifying the employes, several hundred in number, that until further advised the working hours would be reduced from ten hours to eight per day. A similar notice

was also sent to the shope at Springfield and Moberly, Mo., and Peru. Ind. President Milton H. Smith, of the Louis-ville & Nashville, has issued a circular letter notifying employes of a sweeping reducployes except trainmen. Their salaries caunot be touched on account of an agreement made with the various organizations of trainmen. The pay of all officers receiving \$388.38 a month or over 18 reduced 20 per cent. The pay of all officers and employes receiving not less than \$50 a month, or more than \$333.33, is reduced 10 per cent. Those receiving \$45, and not over \$50, are reduced to \$45 per month.

East-Bound Shipments from Chicago. The total east-bound shipments from Chieago last week, except live stock, amounted to 49,898 tons, against 49,881 tons for the previous week, and 52,743 tons for the corresponding week last year. The roads carresponding week last year. The roads carried tonnage as follows: Michigan Central, 5,824; Wabash, 4,867; Lake Shore, 8,580; Fort Wayne, 6,371; Panhandle, 5,513; B. & O., 2,736; Grand Trunk, 3,082; Nickel-plate, 4,211; Chicago & Erie, 7,190; Big Four, 2,024. Shipments were made up of the following articles: Flour, 1,868 tons; grain and mill stuffs, 15,751; provisions, lard, etc., 14,200; butter, 1,974; hides, 1,876; lumber, 3,743, miscellaneous, 2,504. Lake shipments amounted to 84,262 tons, against 90,169 tons for the preceding week. for the preceding week.

Grand Army Rates.

The Atchison road has requested the Western Passenger Association to reconsider its attitude on Grand Army rates, but as a different decision from that already made by the association can only be made with the unanimous consent of the different roads, there is small chance of a reduction. The matter will be taken up at the first association meeting. General Pasen-ger Agent Eustis, of the Burlington, now says his road will not reduce the number of its trains between Chicago and St. Louis and Denver. The time card is being rear-ranged, but the time of departure of the through trains from Chicago and their atrival at Denver and St. Louis will not be

Personal, Local and General Notes. The Wabash has advanced switching charges at a number of points on its lines and at terminals 50 cents per car. Freight train crows on the Wabash road

are now compelled to wear badges while on duty, and the order is being strictly en-The Illinois Central has declared a dividend of 24 per cent, in cash on the capital

stock, payable Sept. 1, to stock of record Aug. 9. J. B. Patten, warden at the southern

prison, has invented a car coupler which he thinks has great merit and has gotten it patented. C. H. Phillips, who has represented the Missouri Pacitic at New Orleans, succeeds

A. S. White as commercial agent of that company at Cincinnati. Wm. A. Sprott. who last week was ap-pointed division freight agent of the Wa-bash road at Toledo, entered the service of

the company at Lafayette as a messenger The Chicago business over the Cincinnatt, Hamilton & Dayton and the Monon is so heavy that Train 80 was, yesterday, hauled in three sections, and Train 36 in

Wm. A. Brissenden, the Monon conductor who lost one of his legs in a railway wreck last winter, was yesterday paid \$3,000 by the Order of Railway Conductors, of which he is a member.

On Saturday last there were handled on the Big Four system 27,172 passengers, the largest number in any one day, the Fourth of July excepted, in the history of the consolidated companies.

The United States Express Company is making arrangements to have the Monon baul its through Cincinnati and Chicago express car, which is nightly run each way over the Lake Erie & Western.

The Heard of Trade of Columbus, O., and a large party of business men yesterday went over the Pennsylvanta lines to the world's fair. The train consisted of a baggage car, four coaches and four sleeping

The Wabash now claims to have the fastest scheduled train now run in this country, counting out stops; its schedule is uity-six miles an hour between St. Louis and Toledo, as the Decatur Herald

figures it. The management of the Denver & Rio Grande has given notice to its Brotherbood of Locomotive Engineers and firemen that it will, on Sept. 1, terminate its agreement with them, and, after that date,

pay less money. The friends of John Leahey, private seg-retary and chief clerk of E. O. McCormick, are urging his appointment as the successor of Mr. McCormick as general passenger agent of the C., H. & D. Mr. Leahey is very popular and fully competent for the

position, and it is stated that if the place is filled by promotion Mr. Leahey will be

the man. E. B. Hutchinson, general claim agent of the Pennsylvania Company, who, a few days ago, accompanied by his wife, went to Maine to attend the funeral services of Miss Packard, late of Richmond, Ind., returned yesterday.

The people or LaPorte, Ind., are considerably exercised that in getting out a book setting forth the pleasure resorts along the Lake Shore road only one page was given to LaPorte, and what is worse its population is set down at 7,126

The executive committee of the Order of Train Dispatchers have sent out a circular to the effect that it had been unanimously decided that it was advisable to change the place of their annual meeting of Sept. 19 from Kansas City to Chicago.

Orin Warner, for more than twenty-five years with the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, and for some time past traveling passenger agent for the company in northern Indians and Michigan, has resigned, much to the regret of his superior officers and associates.

Charles B. Sloat, the well-known traveling passenger agent of the Chicago & Rock Island, last week took the position of assistant general ticket and passenger agent, with jurisdiction over all its Texas lines. In passenger circles it is thought to be an excellent move for the company.

Attilla Cox, of Louisville, has been appointed receiver for the Louisville, St. Louis & Texas railway by United States Circuit Judge H. H. Lurton, at Nashville. upon the application of Post; Martin & Co., of New York. The receiver is bonded at \$100,000 and he is to take charge at once. Over his own signature D. B. Martin says he does not know of a man in his railroad acquaintance he would rather be associated with than E. O. McCormick, who on Sept. 1 becomes the passenger traffic manager of the Big Four. The two, he says, have not been business enemies, but business rivals.

Train 5 for Chicago, last night, over the Big Four, hauled two special cars; one was the Chesapeake & Onio private car, which contained Governor McKinley, of Ohio, and a few friends, the other the private car of Vice President Peabody, of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern, en route, with

his family to Chicago. The Wabash people have under consideration the doing away with the old junction depot at Lafayette, which building was retransfer station, joining with the Big Four in putting in a modern interlocking switch and signal and doing away with it as a stopping place for express trains.

One who closely watches the movements of M. E. Ingalls, president of the Big Four, expresses the opinion that before Jan. 1 he will have the controlling stock of the Merchants' bridge and its terminals at St. Louis as a part of the Big Four system. It is owned by parties who, it is thought, would be glad to get a purchaser. The Vanderbilt interests, owning the bridge at St. Louis and one across the Ohio river into Louisville, would be in a very independent

J. Q. Van Winkle, general superintend; est, and C. E. Shaff, secretary to President Ingalls, made a thorough examination of the physical condition of the Cairo di-vision last week. They found the road in much better shape than they expected. The entire track is laid with a good sixtypound steel rail, and it is tolerably well provided with ties. The road passes through fourteen county-seats, and, under the supervision of Superintendent Sutton, has a good outlook for the future.

A prominent railroad official remarked yesterday that, while the Evansville papers are so much elated over D. J. Mackey's again getting control of the road, railroad men looked upon it as being an unfortunate thing for the Evansville & Terre Haute, as in the few months that other parties have controlled the line and C. G. Grammar has been its president, more had been done to improve the roadbed and its equipment than in the previous ten years-a statement which is undoubtedly

More than ordinary interest is taken in passenger circles in E. O. McCormick taking charge as passenger traffic manager of the Big Four lines. If on weak lines he has made so remarkable a record, the ques-tion is asked, what will he do on a strong line? In passenger circles it is thought the Pennsylvania lines will be the most affeeted by his operations; that the passenger men on the Pennsylvania lines will have to exhibit more energy than in the past is a foregone conclusion, say the bestinformed passenger officials.

"Zeb" at the Park Theater.

The Park Theater, bright and clean throughout, opened its regular season yesterday, and standing room only was the unwelcome sign that greeted late comers. So great were the crowds at both performances that not only the aisles and lobbies were packed, but people crowded the stairways leading to the gallery. The capacity of the auditorium was more than exhausted. The theater is kept cool by artificial means, and the atmosphere was not uncomfortable even yesterday. "Zeb," a play that was seen at the Park last season, was the opening attraction and the Indicrous and exciting adventures of the Hoosier countrymen, a part well played by Mr. John T. Hansen, were received with continuous laughter and cheering. There are some striking scenes in the piece, notably the representation of the world's fair, which is new and excellently managed, and the sensation and comedy are defily mingled. Miss Rose Melville repeated her former success as Sis Hopkins. a grotesque character part, which she presents with nice discrimination. Other parts were capably given by Irvin T. Bush, C. B. Yellingwater and Miss Katheryn M. Evans, while the Clodhopper Quartet did some good singing. There are singing and dancing in "Zeb," and other features that make it a go. It will be repeated every afternoon and evening this week.

Southern Gush, New York Commercial Advertiser.

The engrossed praise of a Florida Confederate Veterans' post to Mrs. Grant for "graceful acts of courtesy" to Mrs. Jeff Da vis naturally provokes in the former lady an intense lassitude. Mrs. Grant treated Mrs. Davis in simple, unaffected fashion, but the average Southerner can't see the moon over his left shoulder without lapsing late verse. In cotton, whisky and gush Dixie leads the earth.

Comstock Displeased.

Detroit Free Press What Anthony Comstock finds in the Midway Platsance meets with his heartiest disapproval. The things that most offend his critical taste are the features which show the customs of some of the oriental countries, and have little effect in this, except to remove some preconceived ideas which were much werse than the reality.

Perhaps So.

New York Commercial Advertiser If men like Gen. John C. Black and Secretary Gresham would come forward and relinquish the pensions they receive as Union soldiers, perhaps Hoke Smith would not be obliged to deprive indigent octogenarians of their sole support and send them to the asylum in the interest of re-

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Debts otherwise secured—interest due and accrued.

Debts for premiums. Total assets \$1,671,106.64 LIABILITIES. Losses adjusted and not due
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All other claims against the company
Amount necessary to remsure outstanding risks

THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

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Losses adjusted and not due reported—no proofs.

Amount necessary to reinsure outstanding risks. The greatest amount in any one risk, \$10,000.

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Loans on bonds and mortgages of real estate, worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged, and free from any prior incumbrance.

Debts otherwise secured. 459,170.00 \$930,213,90

Losses adjusted and not due.

Losses unadjusted

Losses unadjusted

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Debts otherwise secured.

Debts for premiums. 1,365,025.00 527.552.67 518.75 80,561.68 104,826.56 All other securities..... 82,182,654.84 LIABILITIES.

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All other securities. 1,910,012.50 LIABILITIES. Losses adjusted and due..... \$193,713.54 Losses in suspense, waiting for further proof...... State of Indiana, Office of Audifor of State: I, the undersigned, Auditor of State of the State of Indiana, hereby certify that the above is a correctcopy of the statement of the condition of the above mentioned company on the 30th day of June, 1893,
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